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Dear Admiral Turner:

As you have no doubt seen in the news, the President's civil service reform proposals are both sweeping and controversial. This legislation will be one of the most important changes we can support to make the Federal Government work better.

To give you additional background information on this key proposal, I am sending you several documents:

- 1. The President's comments to the National Press Club announcing civil service reform.
- 2. White House Fact Sheet on civil service reform.
- 3. Civil Service Commission press release with more details on critical sections of the reorganization legislation and plan.

If you have any questions about this much-needed reform, please call me or my staff at: (202) 456-6730 or 456-2706. I would also ask you to fill out the enclosed card and return it to Presidential Personnel to update your records.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Pettigsew
Assistant to the President

for Reorganization

The Honorable Stansfield Turner Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D.C.

Enclosures

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